## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 186

## By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Jordan Andrew Bradford, 2009 Valedictorian of Gordonsville High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Jordan Andrew Bradford is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Gordonsville High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Jordan has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Mr. Bradford has earned an exemplary grade point average and demonstrated outstanding leadership through his involvement with a variety of clubs and organizations; and

WHEREAS, he has been an active member of the G-Club, Students Against Destructive Decisions, Chorus, Senior Beta Club, Spanish Club, Interact, the National Society of High School Scholars, and the Science and Math Club; and

WHEREAS, he has served as an officer for the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Junior Beta Club, and the Future Business Leaders of America; and

WHEREAS, Jordan was a member of the Gordonsville High School Boys Basketball team during all four years of high school; he was a Homecoming Representative and a Gordonsville High School American Legion Boys State Representative during his junior year; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, he has been named in *Who's Who Among*\*American High School Students and has received countless academic awards, the Perfect

Attendance Award, a Drug Essay Contest Award, and the Male Danforth Award, among others; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bradford's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Jordan's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Andy and Tracy Bradford, his brothers, Tyler and Owen, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Bradford's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Gordonsville High School
Valedictorian, Jordan Andrew Bradford, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

- 2 - 00526450